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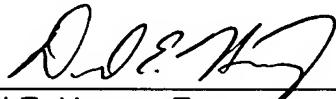
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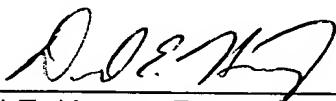
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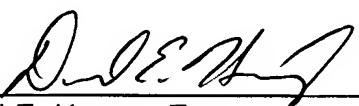
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Claim 28, Column 8, Line 64, "hte" should read --the--.

These errors appear to be made by the Patent Office. Enclosed, in duplicate, is Form PTO-1050 with at least one copy being suitable for printing.

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